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Subject: ICAO & FAA Airfield Rescue and Fire Fighting Categories for Airbus Aircraft

Objective:

The purpose of this document is to provide the FAA and ICAO categories of all Airbus aircraft based on overall length and maximum fuselage width.

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ICAO Annex 14 – Categories Based on Aircraft overall length & maximum fuselage width

FAA Part 139.315 – Index Categories Based on Aircraft length

ICAO Annex 14

- Cat 1: 0m < L ≤ 9m, fuselage Ø < 2m
- Cat 2: 9m < L ≤ 12m, fuselage Ø < 2m
- Cat 3: 12m < L ≤ 18m, fuselage Ø < 3m
- Cat 4: 18m < L ≤ 24m, fuselage Ø < 4m
- Cat 5: 24m < L ≤ 28m, fuselage Ø < 4m
- Cat 6: 28m < L ≤ 39m, fuselage Ø < 5m
- Cat 7: 39m < L ≤ 49m, fuselage Ø < 5m
- Cat 8: 49m < L ≤ 61m, fuselage Ø < 7m
- Cat 9: 61m < L ≤ 76m, fuselage Ø < 7m
- Cat 10: 76m < L ≤ 90m, fuselage Ø < 8m

FAA Part 139.315

- Index A: Length < 90 ft.
- Index B: 90 ft ≤ Length < 126 ft.
- Index C: 126 ft ≤ Length < 159ft.
- Index D: 159 ft ≤ Length < 200 ft.
- Index E: Length ≥ 200 ft.

Type	ICAO Categories	FAA Categories
A220-100	6	B
A220-300	6	C
A318	6	B
A319	6	B
A320	6	B
A321	7	C
A310	8	C
A400M	8	C
A300	8	D
A300-600	8	D
A330-200/-800	8	D
A330-200F	8	D
A340-200	8	D
A330-300/-900	9	E
A340-300	9	E
A340-500	9	E
A340-600	9	E
A350-900	9	E
A350F	9	E
A350-1000	9	E
A380-800	10	E